

ORGANIZATION

(Memo from Bainbridge,
to Training Officers
8 Aug 1956)

Announcements &
Descriptions of
Training Courses

The course, Basic Orientation, has been re-titled Intelligence Orientation and extended to four weeks' duration. Intelligence Orientation No. 1 will begin on 4 September 1956. ...Same requirements of Reg. 25X1A [redacted] and OSI 25-2(Basic Orientation).

... Consists of two two-week phases, Intro to Intell, conducted by the staff of the Intelligence School, and Intro to Communism, conducted by the staff of the School of International Communism.

...While these two phases are normally presented as parts of the single four-week course for EOD personnel, either phase may be taken separately by on-duty personnel.

...Enrollment in the four-week Intell Orientation will be governed by the same procedures used for the former Basic Orientation.

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Introduction to Intelligence Phase (Intelligence Orientation)
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Objectives

Mission, structure and functions of the American intelligence community.
Mission, organization and functions of CIA

The role of CIA components in collection, production and dissemination of intelligence and the conduct of clandestine activity.

...required for all intelligence officers and such other officer personnel as are concerned with the support of Agency activities.

... defines Agency's place in the national security framework and the intelligence community. ... describes the functions of Agency Offices, their interrelationships, the nature of intelligence, and the clandestine activity of CIA.

... responsibilities and functions of various Offices are explained by guest lecturers. ... series of staff conducted seminars.

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